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Group Art Unit: 3721

Title: SHEET FOLDING APPARATUS

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TOTAL CLAIMS		MINUS		= 0	X \$18	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS		MINUS		= 0	X \$84	\$ 0
[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$280	\$ 0
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Respectfully submitted,

Steven W. TROVINGER et al.

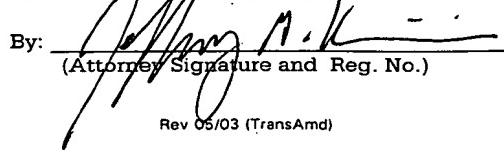
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Sir:

In complete response to the Official Action dated June 30, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification: None

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings: None

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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